



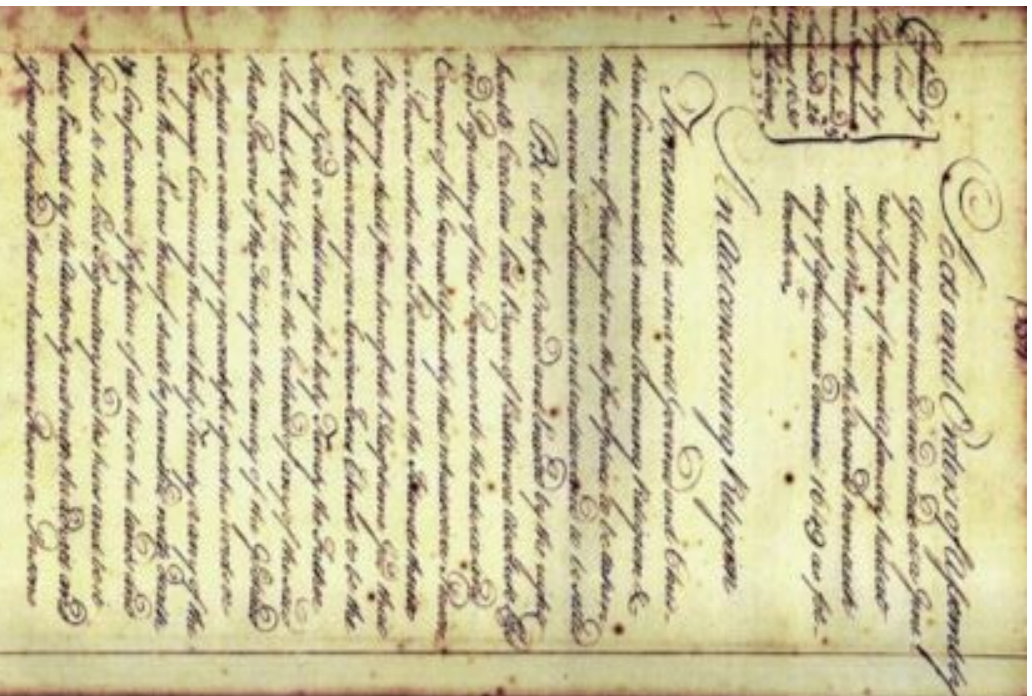
Maryland Act of Toleration

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What is it?

It was a bill that was created in 1649 that gave freedom of religion to all Christian settlers. This policy was given by Cecilus Calvert.





The Maryland Act of Toleration

Why Was it Made and How it Changed Life

- ★ It was made to allow Christian people to practice freedom of religion.
- ★ It changed life because in England and the earlier Chesapeake, there was barely any freedom of religion



Life in Chesapeake

- ★ Protestants were opposed to it and threatened to overpower and put strict restrictions on Catholics. This showed how religions were split and fighting.



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